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July 21, 2023

The Honorable Kenneth K. Karas
District Court Judge
Southern District of New York
300 Quarropas Street
White Plains, New York 10601-4150

Re: United States v. Jesus Mesa
22-cr-423 (KMK)

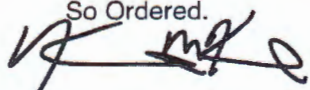
Dear Honorable Karas:

I am writing in relation to Jesus Mesa, who was sentenced to time served and three-years of post release supervision on February 7, 2023. At Mr. Mesa's sentencing, I neglected to ask that the Court authorize Pretrial Services to return Mr. Mesa's passport to Mr. Mesa. Thus, I respectfully request that Your Honor order the release of Mr. Mesa's passport.

Thank you for your consideration.

Granted.

So Ordered.

 7/21/23

cc: AUSA Josiah Pertz

Sincerely,

/s

Benjamin Gold